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## Mixed Iris Collections

Collection No. 1-15 in 5 assorted colors, prepaid .... $\$ 1.00$
Collection No. 2-50 in 10 assorted colors, prepaid .... 2.50
Collection No. 3-100 in 10 or more assorted colors prepaid
Collection No. 4-Mixed standard varieties for bor-
der or mass planting. F. O. B. our station
$\$ 2.00$ per $100 ; \$ 17.50$ per 1000
MISH-A.MISH GARDENS
L. L. MILARCH, Proprietor

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## JACK AND THE BEANSTALK, AND HOW I BECAME A GLAD FAN

In the fall of 1920 I got acquainted with Mr. C. W. Wood, the introducer of the gladiolus industry into our community. After paying him several visits, and spending hours and days discussing the beautiful blooms, I purchased my first stock from him. Through the courtesy of Mr. and Mrs. Wood I was induced to grow gladiolus bulbs commercially.

It was a long winter for me to wait for spring to come. Finally the time had come when I was to make my try at the new enterprise. My enthusiasm and ambition had got to its height. Mrs. Wood suggested planting a castor bean in my garden to eradicate the moles. After all was planted I continuously cared for the garden.

Time passed, very quickly blooms began to appear, the castor bean took possession of the garden. I fed it liquid manure and Nitrates. At the end of the season this bean stalk had gained the height of thirteen feet and eight inches. Having decided to keep this stalk, I cut it close to the ground and laid it away. The stalk is still ten feet and two inches tall. My youngest son is named Jack, he was five years old last summer, I decided to have a real Jack and the beanstalk, so I had this photo taken, the bean stalk was grown in 1921, the year of many happy moments and the dawn of a new enterprise to our gardens. Years have never been long enough to accomplish my ambition. If you want to spend many happy moments and have time pass quickly get into the glad game.


## IRIS

This list includes the intermediate, early and late bearded flag Iris. Every collection should have some of each of the three, to prolong the blooming season. Every variety listed is distinct and fine. The number before the name denotes the rating, 100 being perfect; S. means standards or upper petals; F. meanis falls or lower netals. Each and dozen lots prepaid; 100 lots F. O. B. 25 at the 100 rate. Also date of blooming spring of 1928.

## EARLY BEARDED GERMAN FLAG IRIS

78-Amas. A handsome grand flower, S, rich blue, F, violet. Bloomed June 1. Each 10c; 3 for 24c; 6 for 35 c ; doz. 60c; $100 \$ 3.00$.
78-Dorothea. S. and F. robin egg blue. Bloomed June 1. Each 10c; 3 for 24c; 6 for 35 c ; doz. 60 c; $100 \$ 3.00$.

85-Firmament. (Grochner, 1920) F. turquoise blue, S. violet purple, orange beard, large flower, one of the finest early Irises. Bloomed June 1. Each 15c: 3 for $35 \mathrm{c} ; 6$ for 55 c ; doz. $95 \mathrm{c} ; 100 \$ 5.00$.
76-Florintena Alba. S. and F. a silvery white large flower. Bloomed June 1. Each 10c; 3 for 24c; 6 for 35 c ; doz. $60 \mathrm{c} ; 100 \$ 3.00$.
78-Orriflamma. S. light blue, F. rich violet purple, fragrant. Bloomed June 6. Each 15c; 3 for 35 c ; 6 for 55 c ; doz. $95 \mathrm{c} ; 100 \$ 5.00$.

## INTERMEDIATE AND LATE

$94-$ Ambassador. F. deep red violet, S. lavender, one of the best. Bloomed June 16. Each 25c; 3 for 60c; 6 for 95 c; doz. $\$ 1.50$; per $100 \$ 7.00$.
94 -Bellerine. S. light blue; F. deeper blue. Very sweet scented. Bloomed June 16. Each 25c; 3 for 60c; 6 for 95 c ; doz $\$ 1.50$.
80-Colonel Candelot. S. smokey copper; F. crimson. Bloomed June 14. Each 15c; 3 for 35 c; 6 for 55 c; doz. 95c; per $100 \$ 5.00$.
86-Cluny. (Vil, 1920) S. pale lilac blue, F. deeper blue. Bloomed June 16. Each 25c; 3 for 60c; 6 for 95c: doz. $\$ 1.50$.
87-Crusader. S. light violet blue, F. darker blue, fragrant. Bloomed June 14. Each 25c; 3 for 60c; 6 for 95 c; doz. $\$ 1.50$; per $100 \$ 7.00$.
86-Ed. Michael. S. rosy mauve, F. deeper mauve, with red border, a shy bloomer but one of the best red Irises. Bloomed June 14. Each 25c; 3 for 60 c ; $\dot{6}$ for 95 c; doz $\$ 1.50$; per $100 \$ 7.00$.
78-Eidorado. S. yellowish bronze, F. bright violet purple. June 16. Each 15 c ; 3 for 35 c ; 6 for 55 c ; doz. $95 c$; per $100 \quad \$ 5.00$.
85-Gertrude. Clear dark blue, quite early. Bloomed June 12. Profuce bloomer. Fach 15c; 3 for 35c; 6 for 55 c ; doz. 95 c ; per $100 \$ 5.00$.
74-Hiawatha. S. pale lavender flushed rose, F. royal purple. Bloomed June 8. Each 10c; 3 for 24c; 6 for 35 c ; doz. 60 c ; per $100 \$ 3.00$.
71-Innocenza. S. and F. fine waxey white. Bloomed June 14. Each 10c; 3 for 24 c ; 6 for 35 c ; doz. 60 c. Julius Caesar. S. Yellow, F. maroon. Bloomed June 14; Each 15c; 3 for 35 c ; 6 for 55c; doz. 95 c ; per $100 \quad \$ 5.00$.
87-King of Iris. S. yellow, F. maroon bordered yellow. Bloomed June 14. Each 15c; 3 for $35 \mathrm{c} ; 6$ for 55 c ; doz. 95 c; per $100 \$ 5.00$.
87-Leda. Ex. fine variety, (not Farr's) a pink Mme. Chereau. Bloomed June 16. Each 25c; 3 for 60c; 6 for 95 c ; doz. $\$ 1.50$; per $100 \$ 7.00$.
93 -Lieut. A. Williamson. S. lavender violet, F. velvety royal purple, large flower, tall spike. Bloomed June 10. Each 25c; 3 for 60c; 6 for 95 c ; doz. $\$ 1.50$; per $100 \$ 7.00$.
89-Lewis Strowbridge. S. bright violet, F. blue violet and rose, B. June 18. Each 15c; 3 for 35c; 6 for 55 c ; doz. 95 c ; per $100 \$ 5.00$.
82-Lohengren. Silvery mauve, large flower. Bloonıed June 10. Each 15c; 3 for 35 c ; 6 for 55 c ; doz. 95 c ; per $100 \$ 5.00$.
91-Magnifica. S. bright sky blue, F. long deep reddish, violet and brown. Bloomed June 16. Each 50c; 3 for $\$ 1.10$.
75-Miss E. Eardley. S. yellow, F. madder red bordered yellow. Bloomed June 22. Each 15c; 3 for 35c; 6 for 55 c ; doz. 95 c; per $100 \quad \$ 5.00$.
86-Mme. Chereau. White, frilled with lavender border. Bloomed June 14. Each 15c; 3 for 35 c ; 6 for 55 c ; doz. 95 c ; per $100 \$ 5.00$.
84-Monsignor. S. crimson and lavender, F. rich crimson bordered lavender. Bloomed June 22. Each $15 \mathrm{c} ; 6$ for 55 c ; doz. $95 \mathrm{c} ; 100 \$ 5.00$.
$90-$ Mother of Pearl. S. and F. pale bluish lavender. Bloomed June 14. Each 25c; 3 for 60c; 6 for 95 c ; doz. $\$ 1.50$
68-Mrs. H. Darwin. Charming free flowering white. Bloomed June 12. Each 10c; 3 for 24c; 6 for 35 c ; doz. 60 c ; per $100 \$ 3.00$.


87-Opera. S. bright rich pansy violet, F. violet purple. Bloomed June 16. Each 50c; 3 for $\$ 1.10$.
Pallida Speciosa. Rich lavender purple, very hardy and strong grower, 3 feet, a good landscape variety, profuse bloomer. Bloomed June 10. Each 10c; ő for 35 c ; doz. $60 \mathrm{c} ; 100 \$ 2.50$.
79-Parisiana. Odd, a mingling of lavender pink. Bloomed June 14. Each 15 c; 3 for 35 c; 6 for 55 c; doz. 95 c; 100 \$5.00.
77-Pocohontas. Mme. Chereau type, larger and whiter flower, one of Farr's, good one, should be rated higher. Bloomed June 14. Each 15c; 3 for $35 \mathrm{c} ; 6$ for 55 c ; doz. 95 c ; per $100 \$ 5.00$.
83-Prosper Laguire. S. copper crimson, F. deeper. Bloomed June 14. Each 15c; 3 for 35 c; 6 for 55 c; doz. 95 c ; 100 \$5.00.
72-Prince Victoria Louise. S. sulphur yellow, F. rich plum. Bloomed June 12. Each 15c; 3 for 35c; 6 for 55 c ; doz. $95 \mathrm{c} ; 100 \$ 5.00$.
84-Quaker Lady. S. smoky lavender with rich golden yellow at base, $F$. soft lavender with lemon yellow haft, rich orange beard, beautiful. Each 15c; 3 for 35 c ; 6 for 55 c ; doz. 95 c ; 100 \$5.00. Bloomed June 14.

93-Queen Caterina. Pale lavender violet, self color. Bloomed June 14. Each 50c; 3 for $\$ 1.10$.
74 -Queen of May. Lilac pink, one of the finest pink. Bloomed June 10. Each 15c; 3 for 35 c; 6 for 55 c; doz. $\$ 1.00 ; 100 \$ 5.00$.
84-Rhine Nixie. S. white, F. violet purple. Bloomed June 16. Each 15c; 3 for 35 c; 6 for 55 c; doz. 95 c; 100 \$5.00.
80-Sherwin Wright. S. and F. golden yellow. Bloomed June 10. Each 15c; 3 for 35 c; 6 for 55 c; doz 95 e; 100 \$5.00.
78-Swatara. (Farr, 1918) S. lobelia blue suffused bronze, F. bright violet. Beard yellow. One of the best of the older Farr varieties, very hardy and? clean grower, bloomed June 14. Each 15c; 3 for 35 c; 6 for 55 c ; doz. 95 c ; per $100 \$ 5.00$.
80-Violacea Grandiflora. S. and F. clear violet, larce flower, vigorous and profuse bloomer. Bloomed June 18. Each 15 c; 6 for 55 c ; doz. 95 c; 100 for $\$ 5.00$.

## MIXED IRIS COLLECTION

Here is a very fine mixed; no cheap or inferior varieties, only standard and high rated stock finds a place in this collection. Lables get lost or plants mislaid and these are put in those mixed. Many times you get one plant that is worth the price of the whole collection. Your opportunity while they last.
Collection No. 1-15 in 5 assorted colors, prepaid .... $\$ 1.09$
Collection No. 2-50 in 10 assorted colors, nrepaid .... 2.50
Collection No. 3-100 in 10 or more assorted colors prepaid
Collection No. 4-Mixed standard varieties for border or mass planting. F. O. B. our station $\$ 2.00$ per $100 ; \$ 17.50$ per 1000

## SELECTION

You will see the blooming dates the Spring of 1928, as they came into bloom, continuing from one to two weeks according to weather conditions. In making your selection accordingly you can enjoy the beautiful Iris flowers for a whole month with a limited investment.

## CULTURE

Any good rich porous soil will do. If not, work in a handful of bone dust around each plant. Use no fresh manures of any kind. Do not plant these Iris in low wet soil.

## PLANTING

We have had good results in transplanting irises any t:me in the growing season. Set the plants so the rhizomes are about level with the ground.


## GLADIOLI

## SPECIAL GLADIOLUS COLLECTION

Collection No. 1—300 $3 / 4 \mathrm{in}$. and up in 25 different colors for $\$ 2.95$.
Collection No. 2-125 small blooming size of many colors for $\$ 1.00$.
Collection No. 3-500 bulblets in many assorted colors. ard three medium blooming size bulbs, for 25 c .


Figures in first two columns are for 100 unless otherwise stated. The last column is for bulblets.

| 1 in. up | under $1 / 2 \mathrm{in}$. | er M |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Alice Tiplady, orange ......................... $\$ 2.00$ | \$ . 75 | \$1.00 |
| Albania, white .................................... 3.00 | 1.50 | 3.00 |
| American Beauty, D. pink .................. 3.00 | 1.50 | 2.00 |
| Byron Hulo, bluish purple .................. 3.00 | 1.50 | 2.00 |
| Byron L. Smith, lavender pink ........... 3.00 | 1.50 | 2.00 |
| Capt. Boynton, L. lavender ................. 3.00 | 1.50 | 2.00 |
| Chatteau Thiere, orange red ........... 3.00 | 1.50 | 2.00 |
| Crimson Glow, red ............................. 2.00 | . 75 | 1.00 |
| Crinkles, D. peach .............................. 4.00 | 2.00 | 2.50 |
| Drococephalus, wild, an oddity ......... 2.00 |  |  |
| Dr. Bennett, bright red ......................ea. . 10 per 100-1.00 <br> Dr. Moody, lavender .ea. . 10 per 100-1.00 |  |  |
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| Dr. Van Fleet, rose pink .................eea. . 10 d | dz.1.00 | 1.00 |
| Duchess of York, bluish purple ........ 4.00 | 2.00 | 2.50 |
| Early Sunrise, L. red .......................... 4.00 | 2.00 | 2.50 |
| Elizabeth Tabor, pink, with blotch .... 3.00 | 1.50 | 2.00 |
| Fivelyn Kirtland, rose pink ................ 3.00 | 1.50 | 2.00 |
| Gelden Eagle, yellow .......................ea. . 10 | dz. 1.00 |  |
| Gov. Hanley, D. red ............................. 3.00 | 1.50 | 2.00 |
| Jack London, salmon pink .................. 3.00 | 1.50 | 2.00 |
| Jane Adams, lavender .....................ea. . 10 | dz. 1.00 |  |
| Jewell, orchid ..................................... 2.00 | . 75 | 1.00 |
| L. Immaculee, pure white .................. 3.00 | 1.50 | 2.00 |
| Le M. Foch, lavender pink .................. 1.50 | . 60 | . 80 |
| Longfellow, L. pink ............................ 4.00 | 2.00 | 2.50 |
| Louise, lavender .............................ea. . 10 | dz.1.00 | 1.00 |
| Mrs. F. King, D. pink ......................... 2.00 | . 75 | 1.00 |
| Mrs. Dr. Norton, pink and yellow ...... 3.00 | 1.50 | 2.0 C |
| Mrs. F. Pendleton, pink with bloteh .... 2.00 | . 75 | 1.00 |
| Mrs. F. C. Peters, rose lilac ...........ea. . 10 | dz. 1.00 |  |
| 1910 Rose, rich rose ........................... 2.00 | . 75 | 1.00 |
| Orange Queen, orange .....................eea. . 10 | dz.1.00 | 2.50 |
| Persia, nearly black ............................ 3.00 | 1.50 | 2.00 |
| P'fitzer's Triumph, large red ...........ea. . 50 |  |  |
| Primulina, Species, wild yellow ....ea. . 05 | dz. . 50 |  |
| Prince of Wales, salmon .................... 2.00 | . 75 | 2.00 |
| Purple Glory, maroon ......................... 4.00 | 2.00 | 2.50 |
| Richard Diener, red ........................eea. . 10 | dz.1.00 |  |
| Scarlet Wonder, large red .................. 4.00 | 2.00 | 2.50 |
| Schwaben, lemon yellow ..................... 3.00 | 1.50 | 2.00 |
| Souvenir, D. yellow ............................. 2.00 | . 75 | 1.00 |
| Stalwart, creamy yellow ..................ea. . 25 | dz. 2.50 |  |
| Thistle, rosy red ................................ 3.00 | 1.50 | 2.00 |
| Tobersun, yellow .............................ea. . 75 |  |  |
| Virginia, bright scarlet ..................... 2.00 | . 75 | 1.00 |
| Wilbrink, creamy pink ..................... 2.00 | . 75 | 1.00 |



## Special Gladiolus Collection

If you want to grow and enjoy some very beautiful flowers try any one of the following collections. They are made up of many long tested and tried cut flower varieties that thousands of florists are using every year to supply their trade. Our whole ambition is to grow and test the ones that are among the better cut flower varieties, and force well in the greenhouse as well as for out door purposes. The following bulbs are all prepaid.

Collection No. 1—300 $3 / 4$ in. and up in 25 different colors for $\$ 2.95$.

Collection No. 2-125 small blooming size of many colors for $\$ 1.00$.

Collection No. 3-500 bulblets in many assorted colors, and three medium blooming size bulbs, for 25 c.

## DIRECTIONS FOR PLANTING

Plant in any rich, well drained soil. For bulblets make trench 3 to 4 inches deep, sow about 50 to the foot in narrow trench; in trench 5 to 6 inches wide sow 200 to the foot. For large flowers set larger bulbs 4 to 6 inches apart in single row 4 to 6 inches deep. Use no manure unless well rotted, or dried and pulverized. This can be used as a top dressing at planting and when flower spikes appear. A light application of Vigoro with the manure well worked into the soil will give excellent results. A good soaking with water after each application of fertilizer is very beneficial. Stir your soil after each watering when dry enough to work readily. Work soil deep at first and shallow when flower spikes appear.

## RHUBARB

Giant Victoria, one of the best cooking and market varieties, strong, 2 year old roots, field grown. $\$ 3.00$ per 100; $\$ 20.00$ per 1000 . F. O. B.

Special-50 roots for $\$ 2.00$, prepaid.

## ONION SETS

Yellow Ebenezer, $1 \mathrm{lb} .-32 \mathrm{c}$; $5 \mathrm{lb} .-\$ 1.20 ; 10 \mathrm{lb} .-\$ 2.20$, postpaid. By express collect 15 lbs. or over, 15 c per lb. Large sets, 20 lbs . and over, 10 c per lb .

Southport Globe, red, 1 lb ., —30c; 5 lbs.- $\$ 1.10 ; 10$ lbs.-$\$ 2.10$, prepaid. By express collect, 15 lbs . and over, 13 c per lb. Large sets, 20 lbs. and over, 8 c per lb .


## FIELD BEAN SEED

White Navy, $1 \mathrm{lb} .-25 \mathrm{c} ; 5 \mathrm{lbs} .-\$ 1.15 ; 10 \mathrm{lbs} .-\$ 2.25$ postpaid. 10 lbs . or more, 12c per lb. F. O. B.


## ASPARAGUS

Martha Washington, 2 year old roots, strong field grown stock. $\$ 1.00$ per 100; $\$ 8.00$ per 1000 . F. O. B.

Special-50 roots for $\$ 1.00$, prepaid.


Variety Festiva Maxima

## PEONIES

By all means plant a few peonies. They are one of the hardiest and finest flowers grown. By planting the carly, mid-season ard late varieties you may have blooms for a month. Eash and dozen lots prepaid. 100 lots F. O. B. 25 lots sold at 100 rate.

## PLANTING

Plant in any good soil that is well drained; fertilize the same as for Iris. In setting the plants have the eyes or buds come about level with the ground, as deep planting does not produce many blooms. September until the ground freezes is the best time to plant.

## RATING

The figures before the rames give the rating, 10 being perfect.
8.5-Adolphe Rousseau. (Dessert, 1890) Early purple garnet, semi-double, plant is tall, strong and healthy, free bloomer. Each \$1.50.
8.4-Albaflora. (The Bride) (Dessert, 1902) Early crown type, the finest single white. Each $\$ 1.25$.
8.7-Avalanche. (Crousse 1886) Late white flecked cairmine with creamy center, medium strong grower and grand flower. Each 50c; doz. \$5.00.
9.0-Baroness Schroeder. (Kelway, 1889) Mid-season rose type, flesh white fading to milk white, tall and compact. Each 50c; doz. \$5.00.
6.9-Canari. (Guerin, 1861) Mid-season, blush guards with yellow center, primrose color, profuse bloomer. Each 50c; doz \$5.00.
8.1-Couronna De Orr. (Calot, 1872) Late, semi rose, white with crimson, free bloomer and strong grower. Each $\$ 1.00$; doz. $\$ 10.00$.
8.1-Duchess De Nemourse. (Calot, 1856) Early crown type, pure white, good grower, free bloomer in clusters. Each 60c; doz. \$6.00.
7.6-Edulis Superba. (Lemoine, 1824) Early crown type, dark pink, free bloomer, strong grower. Each 50c; 3 for $\$ 1.25$; doz. $\$ 4.50$.
8.6-Eugenie Verdier. (Calot, 1864) Mid-season, semi rose, hydrangia pink, strong grower and free bloomer. Each 75 c ; 3 for $\$ 2.00$.
8.4-Felix Crousse. (Crousse, 1881) Mid-season, bomb type, bright red, good grower and free bloomer. Each 75 c ; 3 for $\$ 2.00$; doz. $\$ 7.50$.
9.3-Festiva Maxima. (Miellez, 1851) Very early, rose type, white flecked with caımine, strong grower and good bloomer. Each 40c; 3 for $\$ 1.00$; doz, $\$ 3.50$; $100 \$ 25.00$.
8.8-Grandiflora. (Richardson, 1883) Very late, rose type, rose white, a late light pink. Each $\$ 1.50$; 3 for $\$ 4.50$.
8.2-Grover Cleveland-(Terry, 1904) Late rose type, dark crimson, good bloomer. Each $\$ 1.00 ; 3$ for $\$ 2.50$.
8.8-Karl Rosenfield. (Rosenfield, 1908) Mid-season, semi-rose, dark crimson, free bloomer, strong grower. Each 75 c ; 3 for $\$ 2.00$; doz. $\$ 7.00$.
9.1-Lady Alexander Duff. (Kelway, 1902) Early, light rose, shading lighter towards center, large fine flower. Each $\$ 2.00$; 3 for $\$ 5.50$.
8.3-La Rosiere. (Crousse, 1888) Mid-season, semi-double, white shading to light cream and light yellow center. Each 75c; 3 for $\$ 2.00$.
9.9-Le Cygne. (Lemoine, 1907) Mid-season, semi-rose type, free bloomer, the highest rated peony. Each $\$ 8.00 ; 2$ for $\$ 15.00$.
7.7-Madam De Vatry. (Gurrin, 1863) Mid-season, bomb type, large anemone collar, yellowish white center, splashed with crimson, free bloomer. Each 50 c ; per doz. $\$ 4.00$.
7.5-Marechal Valliant. (Calot, 1867) Late compact rose type, dark aniline red, strong grower, large flower, tall plant. Each 75c; 3 for $\$ 2.00$; doz. $\$ 7.00$.
8.5-Mary Lemoine. (Calot, 1869) Very late, rose type, milky white with cream center, blooms freely. Each 75 c ; 3 for $\$ 2.00$; doz. $\$ 7.50$.
9.1-Martha Bullock. (Brand, 1907) Mid-season, mammoth cup shaped blossom, deep rose pink, shading lighter, blooms freely, vigorous, nine inch blooms are possible. Each $\$ 8.00 ; 2$ for $\$ 15.00$.
8.3-Mary Jacquin. (Verdier) Semi-double, rose white tinged lilac, vigorous bloomer, water lily effect. Each 75c; 3 for $\$ 2.00$; doz. $\$ 7.50$.
8.6-Mickado. (Barr, 1893) Early semi-double, guards velvety crimson. A well developed cup, pedloids tipped to gold, as wonderful a flower as you ever beheld. Each $\$ 1.50$.
8.1-MME. Calot. (Miellez, 1856) Early, rose type, hydrangia pink, good bloomer, strong grower, one of the good ones. Each 75c; 3 for $\$ 2.00$; doz. $\$ 7.50$.
7.9-MME. Ducil. (Mechin, 1880) Early, bomb type, light mauve rose, free bloomer, strong grower, not good in the South. Each 75c; 3 for $\$ 2.00$.
7.9-MME. De Vernville. (Crousse, 1885) Early, bomb type, pure white, free bloomer, vigorous grower. Each 75c; 3 for $\$ 2.00$; doz. $\$ 7.50$.
Special-For border and mass planting, not labeled, mixed light pink and white, per $100-\$ 15.00$.


## HARDY LILIES

The Regal Lily, the most outstanding, practical bulbous plant given to our gardens during the century. Wili grow in any well-drained soil anywhere in the United States. Plant either late fall or early spring, 5 to 6 inches deep. Mulch for winter with either leaves or straw. The above picture is an exact reproduction of the mature plant. Flowers immaculate white with outer surface stain of coral pink, throat heavily gilded and perfume is exquisite. Order must be in by April 15th. First size, (flowering) - 30 c each; per doz. $\$ 3.00$. Extra Large, 50c each; per doz. $\$ 5.00$.

Madonna or Sacred Lily, white, sweetly perfumed, flowers in June.
Large Flowering size, 35 c ; $\$ 3.50$ per doz. Mother bulbs, 50c each; $\$ 5.50$ per doz.

## Tiger Lilies

Tigrinum Splendens, single flowers of orange, spotted black. The highly prized so well-known "tiger lily". Each 30c; $\$ 3.00$ per doz.
Tigrinum fl. pl. double flower. Each 30c; $\$ 3.00$ per doz.
Lily of the Valley, to be planted in north or east, shady side of building. Domestic clumps, just right for quick rock-garden effect with 4 to 6 pips and heavy root system. Nursery grown from German stock. 3 for $\$ 1.60$; $\$ 6.00$ per doz.; single roots with strong eyes, $\$ 4.00$ per $100 ; \$ 35.00$ per 1000 .

## HARDY PLANTS

## STRONG FIELD GROWN PLANTS-2 Years Old

| Each | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Doz. } \\ & \$ 1.50 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 100 \\ & \$ 3.00 \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| chellia, (Multiflorum) hybrid ............ 20 | 1.50 | 3.00 |
| Barberry, (Japanese) 8 to 12 in. high, bushy plants, very hardy transplanted stock $\qquad$ | 1.75 | 12.00 |
| Bleeding Heart, strong clumps ............. . 75 | 7.00 | 35.00 |
| Daisy Alaska ........................................ . 20 | 1.75 | 7.00 |
| Daisy Alaska, large white flow | 1.75 | 7.00 |
| Delphinium, Burbanks hybrids ............. . 25 | 2.00 | 8. |
| Delphinium, Imp. Belladonna ............... 20 | 1.75 | 7.00 |
| Digitalis, Fox Glove, Giant Shirley .... . 20 | 1.75 | 7.00 |
| Gallardia, Compacto ............................ . 15 | 1.50 | 5.00 |
| Gallardia, Portola ................................. . 20 | 1.75 | 7. |
| Gypsohila, Fl. Pl. or Baby Breath ........ . 15 | 1.50 | 5.00 |
| Hollyhock, double mixed ....................... . 20 | 1.75 |  |
| Hollyhock, double new port pink ........ . 25 | 2.00 | 8.00 |
| Pyrethrum, colored daisies .................. . 20 | 1.75 | 7.00 |
| Pyrethrum, Hybd, painted daisies, 2 yr. . 20 | 1.75 | 7.00 |
| Pansy Plant, replanted stock .............. . 10 | 1.00 | 2.00 |
| Each and dozen lots prepaid, |  |  |

## DAHLIAS

## PLANTING INSTRUCTIONS

Plant bulbs in rich sandy soil, 4 to 6 inches deep about 2 to 3 feet apart. When about 8 inches high pinch out the terminal buds, leaving 4 to 6 pair of leaves on stalk. These will throw out side shoots. When flowering buds begin to appear pinch off all but the largest bud on each shoot. Work in about a foot from the stalk a handful of commercial fertilizer rich in potash and phosphates. In dry weather water frequently. All tall plants should be tied and staked. Work deep until the plant is about a foot high. Later cultivate shallow. Spray with "Black Leaf Forty" and "Bordeaux". İ using dust of same ingredients apply while dew is on the plant. Both should be applied on under side of the leaf. Do not spray during heat of day nor use cold water.

Prices listed are prepaid. All listed at 100 rate may be purchased in lots of 25 at 100 rate.

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A. D. Livona, (show) bright pink ................ \$ . 15 \$ 8.00

Dr. Tevis, (dec.) rose and bronze ................ . 50
George W. Gero, (show) clear rich pink .... . 50
I. De Van Warner (dec.) mauve pink ............ . 25

Jane Cowl, (H. D.) orange and gold ............ 2.00
Jean Chazot, (H. C.) bronze ............................ 1.00
Jersey Beauty, (dec.) pink .............................. . 25 10.00
Maude Adams, (show) white, tinted pink .... . 15 8.00
Mina Burgle, (dec.) deep crimson ................ . 15 8.00
Nat. Slocombe, (dec.) deep yellow ................ . 25
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